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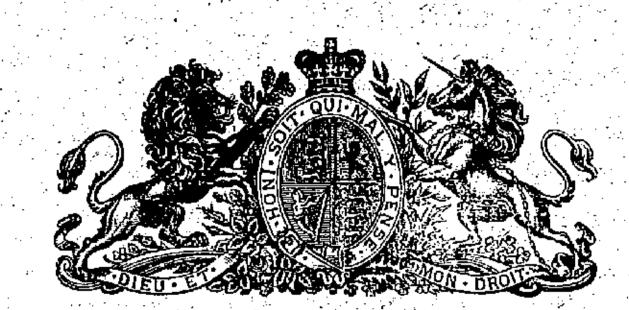
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HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

"DELHI," Captain WHITE, with Her

Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and

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P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.

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nila, C. KARUTH & Co.

Arrivals.

July 7. J. hanne Marie, Danish barque, 332, Schutt, Sydney, May 18, 430 tons Coal and Sondries. - B. HUBENER & Co. July 8, Patino, Spanish steamer, 1200. Patero, Manila, July 4, Mail.—Spanish July 8, Sixt Sing, Chinese gunboat, Stew-

art, Canton, July 7. July 8, Fee-loong, Chinese gunboat, Edwards, Canton, July 7.

Departures. ...

July 8, Feiga, for Callao. Wanga, for Saigon. Ruby, for Saigon. (wari, for Ningpo. Joseph Hambro, for Whampoa. Flying Cloud, for Whampoa. Landdrost Braun, for Foochow. Alurdus, for Bangkok.

Passengers.

ARBIVED. Per Patino, Don José Galliardo del Rio, Messrs James A. Gaven, James White, E. Thachu, A. Varela, Juan Tardan, J. K. Candler, Mariano Costales, 2 European deck and 10 Chinese. Per Johanne Marie, 11 Chinese. Per Tylong, 12 Chinese.

Shipping Reforts.

The Danish barque Johanne Marie from Sydney, reports fine weather and northerly winds as far as New Caledonia, then variable weather and much rain; crossed the line on 7th June, in long. 167 E.; from thence to long. 132 E. had S. W. Trades, with squally weather and much rain, till Bashee Island; thence bad weather and heavy squalls from S.S.W. and S.W., which lasted for three days, after which fine weather, wind from S.W. till arrival in Hongkong. 52 days out.

Daylight, from Hongkong bound to Bang- 12 ver.

Inder Despatch.

For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow, -Per Undine, on Thursday, the 9th instant, at

For further Arrivals, New Advertisements, &c., &c., see 2nd page.

New Advertisements.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. IT is contemplated sending the Steamer "HERMANN" from Yokohama, about August 10th, on a voyage as far North as Castries Bay. In this voyage the vessel will touch at Hakodate on the way North, and at the principal Coal producing localities accessible on the Islands of Yesso and Saghalin; and will remain at the differ-

ent mines long enough to ship a quantity of coal. Returning she will reach Hakodadi about the 10th September, and Yokohama about the 20th, in time to connect with the Company's Steamers leaving Yokohama for San Francisco September 25th; and, for Hongkong aud Shanghai the 27th Idem. Passengers leaving the latter-named places by the Steamers July 15th will have a few

days to remain in Yokohama. Persons desiring an entire change of climate, can secure it by taking this voyage; while excursions may be made as the Steamer will remain several days, at different norts, to take in coals.

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Do. and return,\$205 \$365 Passengers going for the round voyage, beyond lakodate, are expected to live on board till the ship again reaches Yokohama at no additional expense. ...

For passage, apply to GEO. F. HOWMAN, Agent, Praya West.

Hongkong, July 7, 1868. NOTICE HE OFFICE of the Undersigned has been proximo, inclusive Removed to the late premises of the Agra Bank, Queen's Road. LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 30, 1868,

New Advertisements.

LOST OR STRAYED. BLACK and TAN TERRIER PUP. answers to the name of "Tilley," has one ear drooping and a white spot on its breast. Any one taking the same to Shirley House, Bonham Road, West, will be

Hongkong, July 7, 1868. THE Undersigned beg to call the attention

of Steamship-owners, Engineers, &c., SELF-LUBRICATING STEAM-ENGINE PACKING. Just Imported by them Ex "MAIDEN

It will not gum nor char-is easy on the July 7, Tylong, Stamese barque, 472, rods—Reeps them clean and polished—re-Wiese, Bangkok, June 26, General. (thi- duces friction-is easily fixed-saves loss of time and waste of material-and being se'f lubricating requires the use of No

The importance of increased durability cannot be over-estimated, while its cheapness, combined with the above mentioned qualities, effects a saving to the consumer of from 100 to 300 per cent. Orders for China will only be received b LANE, CRAWFURD & Co.

Sole Agents. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NEW GOODS. Ex "Maiden Queen," "Fusiyama," "Scaw fell," "Jubilee," and Overland Mail. 1) UOKS on Commercial subjects. D A Few Newly Published WORK Overland TRUNKS and VALISES. VINEGAL in bulk.

Transparent SOAP. Leather CLOTH. Cases of WATERCOLORS. Neatsfoot and Colza UIL. Nautical ALMANACKS 1869. Champagne Taps. Sheathing FELT. Henry's CANVAS and ROPE,

Boot TOPS. Fishing LINES. Waterlow's and De La Rue's STATION Lipscombe's FILTERS.

Rose-Water CRACKERS. Ladies' CHITBOOKS. Tobacco POUCHES. Hennessy's BRANDY. Opera and Race GLASSES for vest pock-

PEDOMETERS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.-Hengkong, July 1, 1868. CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGOGUE

QUEEN'S ROAD, Opposite H. M. Naval Yard. (CHRISTOU ADELPHOL) LEET on the first day of the week at 11 A.M., for the breaking of Bread and The Siamese barque Tylong from Bang- of Prayers, Acts. 2-42. And at 4 P.M., to kok, reports fine weather and light souther- reason out of the Scriptures, if those things ly winds all the passage to Hongkoug. Off | (concerning the Kingdom of God and the Pulo Obi, on 1st July, passed Siam. barque, | name of Jesus anointed) are so. Acts 8-

Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

ROOTS of best quality. and 100 each, from \$5 to \$30 Cambric Handkerchiefs, etc., etc. per 100.

Hamburg and Bremen CIGARS in great variety. 15 different kinds of Russian CIGARETTOS. Fresh Birdseyé, Shag, Latakia

Turkey and Havana TOBACCO and Smoking Mixture, Honeydew. Goldbars, Harn's fine Cut, Killikinik, &c.

For Sale by BIELFELD and ZACHARIAE Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO LEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED

IN and after the 1st of July, one of the Company's Steamers will leave Hongkong for Canton every morning, at eight o'clock, and returning leave Canton at 12 o'clock. The service will be performed by three boats, however, instead of two, and one boat will always lay over a day in Hongkong for the convenience of shippers of freight. By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, June 20, 1868.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT CO., LIMITED

NOTICE. HE Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 11th day of July next, at 3 o'clock in the after- due of a term of 999 years, created by an 25 noon, in accordance with the provisions of the Articles of Association. By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Oo., General Agents. Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE pany will be closed from the 26th day on the completion of the purchase. of June instant to the 11th day of July

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Adents.

Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

New Advertisements.

號八月七年八十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, 8TH JULY, 1868.

HE Undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the Dutch barque "Pantalon." F. VAN DER TAS, (Signed)

Hongkong, July 6, 1868. ARS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT

Hollywood Road, next door to the HOTEL DE EUROPRA-Hongkong, May 1, 1867. NOTICE. 111HE Undersigned having PURCHASED

1 the Interest of the "Wanchi Steam BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD in various forms, to any part of the Co-Also Ship BREAD of best quality and a

quantities at short notice. Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR FLOUR of best Brands constantly on

low rates constantly on hand or baked in

hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Passons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at

Messrs Thos. Hunt & Co.'s will receive prompt attention. L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY. the 9th July, at 12 o'clock, at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank Buildings,-100 gross Patent Safety MATCHES. 100 cases CANDLES. 100 lbs. Sealing WAX.

50 dozen Note BOOKS. 150 kegs Zinc PAINT. 100 drums Hubbuck's Paint OIL. 50 drums TURPENTINE. 150 kegs White LEAD 10 cases, each 100 mille Multary

Percussion CAPS. 25 cases, each 1 doz. Bengal CHUT 25 cases, each 1 doz. Curry POW-

 \mathbf{DER} . 100 boxes SOAP, each 28!bs. 75 cases PORTER. 10 octaves Superior Port WINE.

500 RIFLES, with Swords and Bay-

jul27 Table Covers, Centre Carpets, Hearth and the balance 4 months after sale, in Rugs, Mosaic Rugs, Tapestry Carpets, Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. AVITE CIGARS and CHE- White Shirts, Meltons, Fancy Light Transfer expenses to be borne by the Woolen Cloths, Fancy Cotton Stockings, | purchasers. Havana CIGARS in boxes of 50 White Cotton Stockings, Church Mats,

(For account of the concerned,) 2 cases of Gilt MOULDINGS. TERMS of SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, July 7, 1868. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

TURSUANT to a decree of the Su preme Court of Hongkong, in Chancery, made in a cause of Her Majesty's Acting, Attorney General, on be half of Her said Majesty, against Wongacheong and Chun-hing-how, with the approbation of the Honorable the Chief

MR. G. A. F. NORRIS. Government Auctioneer.

FRIDAY

the 10th day of July next, at 3 o'clock in Julius Menke Esq. Richard Rowert, Esq. the Afternoon, ON THE PREMISES,

All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND, known and registered in the Land Office as Section D of Marine Lot No. 83, abutting on the north side thereof on Bank. Bonham Strand West, and measuring thereon 39 feet, and on the east, south, and west sides thereof on other portion of the said Marine Lot No. 83, and measuring thereon 39 feet, 29 feet, and 41 feet, respectively, and containing in the whole 1,160 square feet.

The property will be sold for the resi-Indenture of Crown Lease dated the 18th of November, 1854, subject to the payment of an agreed proportionate ground

For Further particulars, apply to F. I. HAZELAND, Crown Solicitor, Supreme Court House. CONDITIONS OF SALE.—One-third of

the purchase money to be paid on the HE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com- fall of the hammer, and the remainder All expenses of transfer to be paid by the Purchaser.

W. H. ALEXANDER,

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY,

the 9th July, 1868, at Noon, at their Sales Room.

2 casks 7 in. Composition NAILS. 1} in. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery n Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on an early day in November next

The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s Hongkong Praya Property, measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7, and consisting of

One DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of holding about 2,000 Tons.

The Centre BUILDING known as DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fireproof Treasury and Godown, capable of holding about 1.000 Tons. One DWELLING HOUSE in the

Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on and

These Buildings have only been erect ed two years and are built of Granite and Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

. The whole of this Property to be sold either in one or more lots to suit pur- 10 % upon the whole amount for the round chasers. TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the

purchase money to be paid on fall of the An Invoice comprising-Velvet Pile hammer, one third 2 months after sale,

For further particulars or details of plans, apply to Messrs BREMNER & LAYCOCK, 4, Austin Friars,

Old Browl Street, London, E.C., Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman.—George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman—Geo. F. Heard, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SABSOON, Esq. Juost, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON,

Managers. VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Shanghae, ... DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. —London and County

'HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of I per cent, per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits:---For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the

Australia, América, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1868

chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

REMOVAL-117 E have Removed our Office to Gage must be left at the Agency's Office. P. P. DEBODE FRERES & Co. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

TAY & Co. have been instructed to

For account of whom it may concern, 25 cases Muntz YELLOW METAI SHEATHING, viz:--

on FRIDAY, 10th July, at 7 A.M. on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 9th July. Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Hongkong, July 7, 1868. Office, Hongkong.

themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice wnich may happen from incorrect the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum.

Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cu-

> lantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cen-

nard, Inman, National, General Transat-

raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in ad vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West.

GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

tral and South America to as far as Valpa-



Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

INDIA AND CHINA LINES, HONGKONG ACENUY STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ.

ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA,

MARSEILLES, BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS. AND CALOUTTA. N THURSDAY, the 23rd of July, at 2 P. M., The Company's Steam-ship "HOOGLY," Commandant DE Bovis, with Mails, Passengers, Specie and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for immediate delivery. London as well as for Marseilles, and

accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. P.M. of the 21st Instant, Specie and B Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 22nd Instant. Parcels are not to be sent on board; they NC 120/122 Street No. 5, opposite to Messre For further particulars, apply at the P&S 479 1 case Elastics. Company's Office, . C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

Shipping.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. The Steam-ship

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Captain E. W. Smith, will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 15th instant, at 4 P.M. precisely. No Freight received after Noon of the 14th instant.

Passengers are requested to be on board t 3 P.M. day of sailing. GEO. F. BOWMAN,

Hongkong, July 7, 1868

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship "UNDINE,"
Captain Toppin, will leave for the above ports, on Thursday, the 9th instant, at Noon.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1868. FOR SHANGHAI DIRECT. The British Steamer

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Captain Morison, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY. The A 1 British Clipper-ship Capt. Chevalier, having a engaged, will have immediate

despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, July 6, 1868.



Hongkong, July 2, 1868. COMPANY. THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. 'TEAMER "COLORADO" will leave The A 1 Amer. Clipper-ship Hongkong for Yokohama and San "RICHARD S. ELY!

1,100 tons Register, Lombard Francisco on or about July 15th Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or with above-named steamer. For Freight or Passage, apply to BOSMAN & Co. Passengers ticketed through to California Mexico, Central and South America, the Hongkong, July 2, 1868. Atlantic States, and to England or France,

> FOR SAIGON. The A 1 French barque Capt. Connillon, will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American barque "PEKIN,"
SEYMOUR, Master, will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1868. FOR LONDON. The A I British barque "NANCY BRYSON," THORNE, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will load at Whampoa as above, and

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The British Barque "SUNSHINE," Captain MARTIN, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, June 12, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A | British ship "WEST AUSTRALIAN," "WEST AUSTRALIAN,"

to London or Liverpool. For NOWROJEE & Co.

Hongkong, July 3, 1868. FOR SALE FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The Tabitian steamer "TITAUA," Capt. CLARR of about 1000 tons Capacity. For further particulars, apply to, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, May 21, 1868.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take Ex "Tigre," 5th December, 1867.

1 Basket Feathers Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868. Ex "Donnai," 8th June.

Ex " Hoogly," 3rd July. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent, Hongkong, July 4, 1868.

Notices to Consignees

M. S. S. Co.'s STR. "COLORADO" FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo not called for within 24 hours after the arrival will be landed and atored at risk and expense of Consignees, GEO. F. BOWMAN.

Hongkong, July 7, 1868.

"LODORE," FROM CALCUTTA. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above mamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned & Co. for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1868.

THE "WEST AUSTRALIAN," FROM CALCUTTA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and take delivery of their Goods as soon as they are at hand, otherwise they will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees.

NOTICE ONSIGNEES of F (B in diamond) M 660/679-20 Bales Merchandise per PAREJERO," shipped by Messrs A DURANTY & Co. of Liverpool, are hereby informed that the same have been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

Hongkong, July 3, 1868.

NOWRUJEE & Co.

RUB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1868. ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Je Steam-ship "HOOGLY," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for coun-

tersignature and take immediate delivery of their Goods before the 1st of July hext or they will be landed and stored at their BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and General Commission Agent. a.c. langdon davies: 2 Club Chambers,

Hongkong, July 1, 1868. HAVE established myself from this dat as Shipchandler and General Storekeeper under the Firm and Style of L. FRICKEL & Co.,

at the Premises, lately occupied by Messu DE SILVER & Co., Queen's Road Central. LEUFULD FRICKEL. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

A) E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

· NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FERDINAND NISSEN in our Firm ceased on the 30th April last. The Business will in future be conducted under the Style and Firm of

ROBERTSON & Co. in which Mr Peter Gabain has admitted a Partner. NISSEN & ROBERTSON.

Ningpo, May 9, 1868. NOTICE. PHE interest and responsibility of Mr W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm ceased

on the 1st January, 1866. OSMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1857

Have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of Van Ooror & Co. W. C. VAN OORDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

NOTICE. RRYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

HAVE this day established myself at this Port as a Public Tea Inspector and General Commission Agent under the Style

or Firm of John Open L & Co. JOHN ODELL Foorliow, April 13, 1868.

LIKOM and after this date, Captain J. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port. H. J. DRING Marine Surveyor. Foochow, August 1, 1867.

trutt reference to the above, the VY business hitherto carried on H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS,

Chop Min. Pagoda Anchorage

Foochow, August 1, 1867. MAR BENJAMIN HOBERT STANFORD was admitted a Partner in our Firm

on 1st January, 1868. J. MoDONALD & Co., Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE. A Y Business, as Ship and Insurance Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. Hook, Son & Co. J. S. HOOK.

Hongkong, September 23, 1867. REER. A. H. TOLLIUS GLUZENKAMP, being from this date interested in our Firm will sign the same per procuration. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868,

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. AR HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per proguration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

*HE connection of the Undersigned with the Firm of Messra Thus, Hung & Co. eases from this date. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

NOTICE. I HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of Gifford F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER Saigon, December 20, 1867. NOTICE.

R FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINRICH Hoppics have been authorized to sign our Firm here and in China from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1868.

NOTICE. R. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 15, 1868. NOTICE.

PROM and after this date Mr George F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTIUE. IHE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FRANCIS PARRY and Mr THOMAS SMITH in our Firm ceased on 31st December, 1867, from which date the Partners are Mr Chables Wilson Murray, Mr Anthur SMITH and Mr THOMAS PYKE.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

HE Partnership between the Under signed, and Mr August Wicters, Mi ROBERT CARRIOR DONALDSON MOFFAT, and Mr FRANZ BORNTRAEGER, lately carrying on Business in London and China under the Firm of TRAUTMANN & Co., has been dissolved from the 1st Instant by lapse of

J. F. H. TRAUTMANN. Shanghai, June 16, 1868.

HF. Undersigned will continue to carry on the Business of their late Firm, at Shanghai and Tientsin, under the same Style of TRAUTMANN & Co. J. F. H. TRAUTMANN

R. C. D. MOFFAT.

Houses and Lands.

Shanghai, June 16, 1868.

TO LET. HE whole of the Second Floor now occupied by the Undersigned, situated at Peddar's Wharf, comprising Dining Room and Pantry and fifteen Bad Rooms.

One half of the First Floor suitable for THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. HE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-

nite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1866

TO LET. THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdee Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messes Elmenhorst & Sanders:

For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

TO LET. HE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the isiatic Bank.

For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET DECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-Lo tuated on the Rise of the Hill. Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road. Apply to MIK. BARRINGTON Wundham Street.

Hongkong, May 13, 1868. MRST Rate ROOMS for Offices or Dwel-I ling HOUSE for Families in the Queen's Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. The

whole in a thorough state of repair. Monora WM. SOUMIDT & Co., Gunmakers.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

OUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned. 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hock & Co. Possession can taken on the 1st of January, 1868.

For Terius, &c., apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

TO LET. HE Large Matshed No. 8, at Pokefulum, containing five rooms with out-houses and Stables attached. Water laid.

For part culars, apply to H. PESTONJEE SETNA, at Mesara P. A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office. Hougkong, June 2, 1868.

TO LET, THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly occupied by Messrs Arnhold, KAR-BERU & to., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March.

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868,

THE CHINA MAIL. Houses and Lands.

TO LET. HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing A four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry. Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

TO BE LET. WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63. GAVIN THOMPSON.

at GIBB, LIVIN STON & Co.'s. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET. COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in 4 Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c. Apply to

THOMAS WALLACE, - East Point Godowns. Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

THE OFFICES situated in Queen's Road formerly occupied by Messrs LYALL 19ag STILL & Co. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

East Point, June 15, 1868. STORAGE FOR OPIUM. HE Undersigned is prepared to STORE Opium in a pret class Granite Godown on premises situated on Praya Central.

CHARLES RIVINGTON,

3, St. nley Street. Hongkong, June 9, 1868. TO BE LET.

Furnished or Unfurnished THE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr N. R. MASSON. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr Masson at Hougkong, September 25, 1867.

Swam Tugs.

NOTICE, HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P.

NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines.

HIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, dition or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on

board, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong. JOHN S. LAPRAIK.

Hongkong, October 13, 1866. NOTICE. HE STEAM TUG! ISLAND QUEEN 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs

E. H. How & Co., Foodhow, or to the Un-DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

For Sale.

Messrs G. DUBOST & Co.,

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS. EG to call the attention of their customers to the large and varied assortchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive ment of Choice WINES, just landed ex the same on STORAGE in First-class Gra- French Ship "LEON," direct from Bordeaux, comprising:-

CLARET. in case of 1 doz., \$ 5 St. Stephe, Chateau Millon. Do. Margaux, Claret of superior quality in wood. per cask of 46 gallons, 45 light breakfas. Claact, bottled by themselves and bearing a seal with the word "Medoc," per dozen, ... 4 CHAMPAGNE.

Genuine "Raynal & Co.'s Cognac," imported expressly (Cognac Fine ABSYNTHE. Genuine Swiss,..... 10

BITTERS. SUNDRIES. Finest Florence Salad Oil...

Best French pure Vinegar, 4.50 Preserved Fruits in Syrup, (Strawberry, Raspberry, Currant, Lemon, Cerise, &c., &c., 10 Jaccaroni. Trade Mark "Grout Jne.," Paris, per lb.,.... Large assortment of French Pre-

serves, viz., Vegetables, Patés Frois Gras, &c., &c. Best Loaf Sugar, per lb.,.... Crushed do., per tin of 25 lbs., French Butter, in tins of 6 lbs., per tin, French Butter, in bottles of 1 lb. per bottle, Gnocolate, (Mónier,) 1st quality, per

Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

JOCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE in 2 Volumes, by Revd. Justus DOOLITTLE, is For Sale at Messrs LANE, Chawford & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai. Price, \$5.00. Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69

FOR SALE, FEW Silicated Carbon FILTERS of 1 various Sizes and Patterns.

Hip Shower BATHS. RAY & Co. Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

FROM FRENCH MAIL "HOOGLY," Small Invoice of ROOUEFORT Apply to G. DUBOST & Co.

Hongkong, June 29, 1868, FOR SALE. ${\bf B}^{
m EST}$ Keeling, COAL. Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

For Sale. FOR SALE. DRINTING PAPER. Apply to Hongkong, June 19, 1868. FOR SALE

PAIR of STUD BRED MARES, the property of a Genlteman who can be referred to. Apply to E. MITCHELL, East Hongkong, June 24, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex " Maiden Queen." & late Arrivals. in. Galvanized WIRE ROPE.

Bass' PALE ALE, in Quarts and Pints. do. Tennents' do. Barclays' and Guinness' STOUT, in Pints and Quarts. White Mackintosh WATERPROOF

COATS, in Silk and Cotton. Hougkoug, June 24, 1868.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION. ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell L by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

New Advertisements.

FRIDAY the 10th instant, at Noon.

Their usual large assortment of Goods, 100 doz. Wooden Pipes, assorted sizes. 50 do. White Stockings. 50 do. Salad Oil. 3 hogshead Good Sherry. 8 six shooter Revolvers.

10,000 No. 9 Lefaucheux Cartridges. 18 cases Kemp and Day's assorted 4 cases each 144 tins Huntley and

Palmer's Biscuits, very choicely assorted. 60 casks Pale Ale, in excellent con 30 doz. Lea and Perrin's Worcester-

50 dozen Vinegar. Mustard. Anchovies.

Pickles (Oriental.) Invoice of Cowards' Oilman's comprising Vinegar, Assorted Sauces, French Capers, Lemon Syrup, Tart Fruits, Jams, Jellics, Candied Peel Currants, Raisins, Figs, Almonds, Tapioca, Maccaroni, Scotch Oatmeal, Yarmouth Bloaters, Chedder Cheese, &c., &c.

12 cases superior Tower Muskets. TERMS or SALE.—Cash before deliver in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, July 8, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Clipper Ship 784 Tons Register, C. H. Bar-RETT, Master, will have early despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1868. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The British Clipper Barque "CAPSINGMOON,"
466 Tons Register, WATERSON, Master, will have early despatch

for the above Ports. For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hougkong, July 8, 1868.

SAYLE & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE. INVITE inspection of their New and well assorted summer Stock of. Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS.

Naval and Military CLOTHS.

Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS. Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.

Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c. Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS. The Tailoring Department under the management of first class English Cutters.

TIES and SOARFS in great variety. The new shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS. Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS.

PAJAMAS. Gauze. Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS. HOSIERY of all kinds Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in

Various Shapes. Household LINENS of every description A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS of the Latest Patterns. " French Printed CAMBRICS.

Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy Silk GAUZES. : Groundines and other New Fabrics Embroidered, Printed and Made-up SKIRTS. CRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES and LACE of all descriptions. Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c.

Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-CLOTHING. Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, vc. Lace and Muslin CURTAINS; Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

New Advertisemets

FOR SALE. # UNTZ'S Yellow METAL, 20 to 28 oz. with N ILS. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868. FOR SALE.

Just Arrived.

BRO DWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may Lobo had at Wholesale Price. Address "A.," Office of this paper. Hongkong, December 31, 1867. HOICE BALDWIN APPLES, \$0.60 PER DOZEN. lce House, July 2nd, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. July 8, Albert, from Whampoa. CLEARED. Edith Haviland, for Whampoa. Ferozepore, for Bangkok. Sir J. Jeejeebhoy, for Swatow. Undine, for East Coast.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS MAILS WILL CLOSE :-For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,-Per " UNDÍNE," on Thursday, the 9th instant, at 11 A.M. For MELBOURNE & SYDNEY,— Per "SUNSHINE," on Friday, the 10th instant, at 7 A.M. For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, & the U.S. OF AMERICA.—

Per P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steam-ship "CO-LOR 1DO," at 3 P.M. on Wednesday, the löth instant. All correspondence intended to be forwarded by this opportunity must be superscribed per "COLORADO." postage must be prepaid as follows: FOR A LETTER. Under & ounce,

Above & ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce, . . . 16 Above 1 ounce and not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ ounce, . . . 24 Above 11 ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces, 32 For every ad'tional & ounce, Newspapers or Prices Current 2 cents Under the convention recently concluded, correspondence forwarded as above will be delivered free at the places of its

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, July 7, 1868. UNDER DESPATCH.

For Melbourne and Sydnoy. - Per Sun-

shine, on Friday, the 10th inst. (From the Canton Customs Daily Returns. Summary of Imports and Exports by the Native Craft during the week ended 5th

Imported from Hongkong,-31 bags Agar-Agar. 57 packages Cardamonis. 758 bage Chaff. 130 packages Coke. 0.424 Cocoanuts. 510 bales Cottou. 32 packages Cuttle Fish. 149 pieces and 9 packages Elephant'

Bones and Teeth. 217 packages Fish Maws. 273 packages dried Fish. 1428 picula Flint, 162 bage Flour. 22 piculs and 6 p'kages broken Glass 935 packages Window Glass.

1886 pieces and 43 packages Buffaloe 606 pieces and 8 piculs Buffaloe Horns 94 pigs Lead. 361 piculs Mangrove Bark. 125 packages Medicines. 59 packages Mushrooms. 255 bags Arussels. :

323 packages Nankeens. 1448 packages and 221 pieces Nail Rod lion Bar and Hoops. 94 packages Iron Wire. 399 packages Steel. 290 packages Tin Plates. 910 p chages Yellow Metal Sheathing 162 packages old Copper.

121 bags Pepper. 2063 picula Peas. 58 Pigs. 26 piculs Red Wood. 69,832 bags Rice. 843 pieces and 9 pkges. Sandal Wood 590 piculs Sapan Wood. 67 packages and 21 pieces Shirtings 61 packages Shark's Fins.

303 packages Persimons:

70 packages Tobacco. 50 packages salted Turnips. 219 packages Wood Ware. 667 packages Sundries. Exported to Hongkong:— 84 packages Bamboo Ware. 28 packages China Ware. 265 packages Fuel. 98 packages Gunny Bags. 61 packages Iron Ware. -981-packages Jess Sticks. 8,927 packages Mats. 106 packages Marble Slabs.

531 jars Pickles.

2,329 pieces and 9 packages Planks. 120 package, and 22 jars Samshoo. õ47 Spars. S 98 packages and 167 pairs Shoes. 193 packages Straw Bags. 30 packages Sugar Slabs. 200 jars Tea. 200 boxes l'obacco, 38 packages Touth Powder.

72 pieces and 10 packages Wood Ware

394 packages Sundries. Per Albert, cleared for Falmouth :--2.970 cases Cassia. 105 boxes Congon Tea. 250 boxes Gunpowder Tea. 500 boxes Imperial Tea. 50 rolls Matting. 102 boxes Preserves. 90 packages Studries. Per Owari, cleared for Ningpo; -40 balos Betel Nut. 30 cases Glue, 30 cases White Lead.

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300 cases Lungans.

31 bales Orange Peel.

3.250 packages Rattans.

37 logs Red Wood.

126 cases Tobacco.

272 cases Sundries.

Hongkong, 8th July, 1868.

QUOTATIONS.

OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$6321 Benares, New, Molwa, 15jul COTTON.—Bombay, ... $17\frac{1}{2} \ a \ 21$ CALCUTTA, ... Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, ...

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,, Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 73 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 103 per cent pre. Sycee, ... 8 per cent. pre. Mexicans, par. Gold Leaf. Gold Bar, 98 touch, 22,60 p. tl, English Sovereigus, ... 4.54 Australian Sovereig**ns**, ... 12 a 14 Discount. H. & W. pon dock, Uld, 15 per cent pm. New, 7 per cent pm. H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 20 per cent pm. New, 3½ p. c. pm.

Union Dock Shares, ... 18 discount. Temperature. Honekong, 8th July, 1868. Attached Thermometer. Dry Bulb, Maximum S. Rgr., Minimum S. Rgr., Max. Sun's Rays, Minimum on Grass, ... 76.0 Previous | Rain on Grov., 0.00 24 hours, \ ,, above, ... 0.00 Cloud,

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1868.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND THE GOVERNOR'S REPLY ON THE GAMBLING

LICENSES. WE can scarcely own to a feeling of surprise at the silence of the Chamber of Jounnairce respecting the recent document which emanated from His Excellency the Governor in regard to the gambling farm. There are times when insult is best met by silence, and it may be that the Chamber deem themselves placed in so strong a position by the mere publication of His Excellency's reply, that they consider any further correspondence as unavailing as it certainly is unnecessary. They are placed in a somewhat awkward position as, if they attempt to point out the peculiarities of that singular composition, respect, to say nothing of the law, prohibits them from "slanging back." To express a hope that His Excellency's public despatches and private correspondence, "age not always conducted on a system which has no better foundation" than the glaring misquotations, the undignified "chaff and the total absence of reasoning power which distinguish the "document," might verge on the impertment and we should be the first to condemn language which, however justifiable, was disrespectful to the local representative of Government. In common fairness, however, to a body of gentlemen whose opinions weigh much regarding colonial matters, it behoves us as journalists to point out to home readers the cogent reasons which we venture to surmise have hitherto induced the Chamber to maint in silence under imputations which are devoid of foundation. So little do Hongkong affairs attract the attention of the Home public that there is a possibi lity of His Excellency's despatch being read without the proverbially large allowance of salt which his previous documents on the same subject have required and received. We, therefore, address ourselves in the very limited space at our disposal to a more particular examination of this composition than it has hitherto received at our hands. remembering that "Art is long and time is fleeting." We are able, however, to deal but briefly with the more pro-

minent heads of the despatch. Before taking the paragraphs seriatim we would observe that no refutation whatever has been advanced by His Excellency of any assertion made by, or in, the Chamber; and the sentence which leads up to the quite uncalled for announcement that their opinions call for "a public refutation"---(uncalled-for because unfulfilled) implies an insult to that body which has been duly appreciated and resented. The title of the Chamber is "respectable," quoth His Excellency! It feels grateful for the implied deduction, which, however insulting, might have been pardonable, had any presumption in its favour been advanced. As it now stands, it is simply an unwise and undignified way of being clumsily sarcastic. In the matter of misquotations we have an abundant crop, but the most obvious to the least careful reader is His Excellency's statement that "One gentleman indeed asserted that Trade to his knowledge had fallen off 25 per cent.' &c." But a reference to the published report of the Chamber, and upon which H. E.'s despatch is founded, shews that Mr Hitchcock, the gentleman in question, said no such thing. He said that "a native merchant had said that trade had in many cases fallen off by 25 per cent"—quite a different statement. It is very bad to tell "fibs" in despatches not meant for the public eye. But it is very foolish to tell them when all the world has an opportunity of disproving them a few hours after they appear. We must confess that we had hitherto credited His Excellency with a habit of carefulness in advancing curious state.

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COURT SKIRMISHES the of those little outbursts of feeling judicial and otherwise, which occasionall shew themselves in the Supreme Court, occurred this morning during the hearing of the childstealing case. The Hon. the Chief Justice, while commencing to charge the Jury, said that the prisoner was charged on four counts; when the Attorney General corrected his Lordship, by saying there were six counts. After carefully looking at and turning over the information, his Lordship asked when the additional counts had been added to it. The Attorney General said that he signed it, but he did not know

who wrote it and he had nothing to do with the service. His Lordship then asked bir Huffam, in whose handwriting were the additional counts; to which the Deputy Registrar at once replied that it was that of the Attorney General. His Lordship theu. turning to the Jury, warmly remarked that the writing was the Attorney General's own, that the information was most slovenly written and endorsed, and that the writing on the back had misled him. Attorney General here asked to look at the information, and remarked (on examining it) that it was dated the 23rd, served on the 27th June for the Session of the 3rd July. He was sure Mr Huffain would say that it had been the custom so to draw up informations. His Lordship, remarking that it was a very bad habit, appealed to the Deputy Registrar whether he had ever seen an information so written and endorsed. Mr Huffam replied that he had not. Lordship at once followed up this answer by warmly informing the Jury that here was an information written in the Attorney General's own hand, of which the Attorney General had said he knew nothing, and which was written and endorsed in a most slovenly manner; it was in fact such a document that onght not to have been filed in this Court ; similar documents at home were written and endorsed on parchment; and written with the greatest care. The

charge to the Jury; but on the Attorney ing on prima ficie evidence of false descrip-General again rising to make a suggestion | tion, packing, or any other fraud, and as a to the Court, his Lordship said, "Really, preliminary to a public hearing and formal Mr Attorney, I had much better hand over | judgment by the proper authorities, -in no the charge to you, if I am to be so interrupted." Mr Ball then begged his Lord- concurrent action and full consent of the ship's pardon, and the Judge proceeded Consul, has now been established, and with his address to the Jury.

OUR Canton correspondent writes as follows:-The superstitiousness and credulous- rized acts on the part of the Customs where ness of the celestials may be judged from Foreigners are concerned. the following narrative, which there are grown-up persons who relate and do not here, proceeded to Hung-chow near Kiangan ex-mandarin who had an unmarried is called Tea, either superior or inferior. daughter. This damsel seems to have fallen somehow violently in love with the above-mentioned book-keeper, but the Chidivulging to her father her heart's secret, consequently she became overpowered with known the cause of her death, soliciting in keeper in a dream, and preliminary arrangebeing appointed for the damsel to appear. to himself his No. 2 in advance of his No. I who, according to the Confucian tradition, must be chosen by the parents. resurrected damsel cut it short, and proved herself as the offered to show to be a devil," by disappearing from the midst of the discussionists whilst the dodes were closed, and rejoining her husband where! The coup de groce to the folegoing is the asserciation that this dead and alive

talked is in a state of pregnancy!! The new modes operandi of the Steam disputes. boat Company, which came into effect on the let instant does not seem to find much pany's chief patrons;" puggreewallahe are wise authorized in fixing a value with the no knowledge of the Blue-book to which

cellency does not read reports carefully, of Mr. Acheong's steamers has not given rule had never been made. and we, as regards belief in his qualifica- them the monopoly of the carrying trade fleet will be highly unramunerative.

> despatches, yet it is authoritatively asserted | insuring the end more satisfactorily. that nothing more than a couple of destality of despatches but the aid of a good crop of Almighty Dollars that brings about the liberation of the kidnapped, as the late case of the comprador exempli gratia. When those, who are not connected with foreigners, are kidnapped, it is considered more than useless to apply to the officials for assistance, unless a Cheong Yek Li

holds the reins of the Government. The festival of Dragon-boats seems to have resulted this year more disastrously than has been the case for few years past. in addition to the 32 individuals drowned here, another batch of 40 are said to have met with a similar fate at Whampoa, in a row which took place between two Dragons. Some half a dozen others are also reported to have been drowned at other places.— During the past week three thieves have been caught in the neighbourhood of Fakee hong-one of them when seized by the police, drew a pistol and fired, inflicting a severe wound on the person of the police-

sume their nocturnal trips from and after the 15th justant, the subsidy being discon-

THE following despatch has been addressed by H. M.'s Minister at Peking to the British Consul at Shanghai :-

Peking, June~13th,~1868. Sir, -I have received your despatch of the 30th of May, giving cover to a letter from the Chamber of Commerce on the position assumed by the Acting Commissioner of Customs at Shanghai in connection with the Tea-dust question and other matters. As regards Tea-dust, all difficulty will

think, have been removed by my circulars No. 7 and 9 of the 25th and 31st of May. And, indeed, on the more general subject of Custom House action in cases involving a question of fine or confiscation. I am sangaine in the hope that no further difficulty will be experienced.

So many of the questions submitted to me for consideration by the Chamber of Commerce in the letter under acknowledg ment, as to the action and rights of the Attorney General, in a sharp tone, said, Custom House authorities and the mer-"Here let the matter rest ;" when his | chants respectively, have been fully consid-Lordship, still addressing the Jury, con- | ered and answered by anticipation in the two circulars that little further remains to cluded the little wordy fracas by saying

that he had been interrupted by the Attorney General, and would not have made The principle, rightly contended for by those observations had he not been so in- the Chamber, that seizures can only be made with the object of obtaining tangible The Chief Justice then resumed his security for any claim of the Customs restcase by the Chinese alone, or without the

distinctly recognised beyond either question or dispute; and thus an end is put to all complaints against arbitrary or unautho-

Referrings to your own remarks in connection with the recent discussions respectaltogether disbelieve. Two natives of a ing Tea-dust, no further question, I think, place called Koon-yu, not very far from is lively to arise. For if it be not, as I am given to understand, an article well known si for the purpose of opening an establish. In the Trade, and too distinctive in its ment for the sale of sundry arcicles one of character to be confounded by competent them acting in the capacity of book-keeper persons or Tea-dealers with anything else. to the other. In the neighbourhood where it is yet very certainly neither Tea-leaf nor the Koon-yuites opened their shop, resides | Tor stalks, nor anything that in the trade

No doubt there may be some inferior mixtu es of Tea refuse, or "siftings" and "fannings," not worth more than Tea-dust nese law and custom precluded her from properly so called, which yet may not come under that denomination, in the Trade. But unless these are recognized in the grief, fell sick and departed this life. Some market as Tea-dust their value has really days after the burial ceremony had been nothing to do with the question of a reducperformed, the ghost of the damsel appear ed duty; which has been made, not for ed in a dream to the ex-mandarin and made | inferior Teas at all, but for the one article known as Tea-Dust. I presume there was the meanwhile his permission and consent some special and adequate motive for fixing to enter into the conjugal state with the a maximum value, but it is to be regretted young man whom she admired. Subset that the necessity existed, for it has led to quently the ghost appeared to the book- much contention and misunderstanding.

On the more general question of valuation ments were concluded by a place and day of goods; since difference of opinion will occasionally arise between the shippers and The nuptials were duly celebrated, and after the Customs as to what may be the market different reply to the questions put on Frisome mouths, the couple went on a visit to value at any particular moment, and the day last by the Duke of St. Albans on the Koon-yu, where the parents of the young latter are nudoubtelly entitled to levy an important question of slave trading on the plan resided, who had hetrothed for his ad valorem duty on the highest value that White Nile. Instead of referring the Duke can be realized. I do not at present perceive to certain pages of the Slave Trade Bluewho had therefore severely remonstrated how this can be better or more equitably book with a sort of taunt of ignorance or with their son for his having already taken settled than by giving the Customs the negligence, he would have been eager to do power to take over the goods at the value justice to mali ned Europeans and to a neefixed by the merchant himself. I cannot ful English public servant, and would have see the injustice or the hardship of any one stated the answer given by Mr. Reade and Whilst this discussion was going on the being compelled to take his own valuation others to the Egyptian Viceroy's unfounded of the worth of the goods he has for sale. , charge against Enropeans, that they were It seems to be the only certain check on apholders, too strong for him to deal with. under-valuation, which the Costons are of the cross slave trade curried on in Upper bound to guard against; and in every part E spt. It may be observed in passing that every other occasion when energetic and spectators of his untimely death. The with the Archbishop.

cial portscript. The board of directors ship-owner,—and the vessel will be detain- tion hould be limited. seem to be considerably puzzled, and to ed pending appeal as to the final judgment, The Viceroy of Egypt stated in July that Mr. Reade has received from Lord have to mourn double disaster. His Ex- have just discovered that the subsidising when he will be no worse off than if this last, in Paris, to a deputation of the British Stanley, not only courteous replies, but also

on the Pearl river. Unless, therefore, Sir ter, I am unable to concur with you in ple, he was defeated when he sought to do Rutherford Alcock can be prevailed upon | thinking this right, at the option of the so against Europeans, who were the chief to obtain for them such a privilege, the merchant, would prove an unmixed benefit deliquents." He added, "If he were free Company must possess three Plymouth to the latter. Certitude and promptitude to at against European slave-traders the which his answer contains, and must con- Rocks to compete successfully with the in the settlement of disputes with the Cus- slave trade would soon disappear. The native craft at their miserably low rates of toms, if these can be secured with impar- European Powers should give him the freight, which no doubt pay them remark- tiality of judgment on the spot, are of far necessary authority to exercise the right of ably well, but to the Company's present greater importance to the merchant than a searci as regards boats sailing under Euroright of appeal with the delays and incer- peancolours. In justice to our Prussian friends it may titude inseparable from them. And, I M. Reade, our consulat Cairo, who was be stated, that although it was generally repeat, if publicity and investigation in an last year acting consul-general in Egypt; reported at the time when the comprador open Court with a Consul's responsible actitells Lord Stanley a very different story. of the German house was kidnapped, that tion in concurrence be not a sufficient scen- Rejeting as altogether impossible the the Chetoi was bombarded by thundering rity for justice, I doubt any other provision | charle against Europeans in Upper Egypt

patches passed between the Prussian Con- of appeal with its possible advantages and mucl jealousy by the local authorities, h sulate and Namhoi, of a much less thun- certain disadvantages, important limita- proceds to say :-dering nature than was talked about. The tions of a Treaty right of confiscation on this is, however, a matter of public noto

> - You will forward a copy of this despatch to the Chamber of Commerce for their information, --- Your obedient Servant, RUTHERFORD ALCOCK.

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before the Hon, the CRIEF JUSTICE,

July 7, 1868.Lee Asing, a most hardened-looking and impudent criminal, was arraigned on a double charge of burglary, and kidnapping. It appeared from the evidence that prisoner was one of a gang of burglars who plundered a man's house in Kowloong, and concluded the operation by carrying off the man's wife, with the purpose of selling her. The evidence was clear against the prisoner, although the latter most persistently crossquestioned the witnesses all through the trial, and failed not to make the common On dit, the Jeejechhou and Lintin will re- assertion that the charge was a trumped-up one.—The Jury brought in a verdict of guilty on both counts, and added their opinion that the prisoner had taken away the woman with the purpose of selling her. was still in exile from her home. On the two counts. he would spend fourteen years it was not in his Lordship's power to inflict cornoral punishment under the new Ordinance to come into force in a very short

> Prisoner, whose spirit did not by any eans appear to be crushed, was then re-

Jn: ors called: Mesars Dreyer, T. Hart, Berns and J. Roach.

CHILD STEALING. Chun Achtong and Fan Ayuk were charged with the above crime under six counts. The facts of the case, as they appeared in [gociate a ransom for \$40. This was the this slave trade was untruecase in which a nolle prosequi was entered some informality in the service of the no-

been recovered. suggest any moral or judicial doubt of the of the Government." guilt of the prisoners.

child with intent to obtain a ransom.

of Chung Ayee, and the Sessions were then adjourned to Saturday morning, when a few prisoners will be brought up for sentence.

----SLAVE TRADE IN EGYPT.

A competent Minister in Lord, Malmesbury's position would have given a very

loud in denouncing it; and topywallahs liability of a forced sale at the rate fixed; LordMalmesbury referred him. These do- | seem to show that Mr. Petherick deserved | doubt, drowning was the actual cause. The consider it an admirable arrangement for | -but in that case he will simply not avail | cumots ought to be freely circulated, like | better treatment, and that his consular auevery alternate Thursday only in order to himself of the option of giving a bond,—an othe parliamentary papers, but perhaps it thority, if properly supported by the Forforward via Marseilles the latest commer- arrangement entirely in the interest of the suitsthe Foreign Office that their circula- eign Office, might have been advantageously

and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society, that | cordial encouragement. Finally, as regards appeal to the Minis- 1" though he could act against his own peo-

the vhole number of whom, he says, But in lieu of this somewhat barren right | under a dozen, and who are regarded with

Celestials we know possess a strong cacoe- the part of the Chinese, not otherwise at- | richythat from 10,000 to 15,000 slaves are thes for "squeezing" each other, and to tainable, have been secured, and entirely annually brought down the Nile to Cairo, this end they industriously circulate reports to the advantage of the former. What the while an equal, or even greater number find whether true or false. Whilst the brigands, British Minister, together with his collea- their way to Sounkin and the Red Sea. The on the other hand, have their emissaries gues the Representatives of other Treaty principal dealers are well known, and right amongst us, but like the freemasons Powers, has coded, in the right of reclaim alloved by the local authorities to pursue not known to the uninitiated, in order to ing by diplomatic action damages for an act | numberted their abominable traffic. True keep these (the brigands) posted up on such of confiscation if not sufficiently motived, it is that some of these delinquents are occasions when a maipan or a coon had has been far more than compensated by the loccasionally arrested and their property fallen into their trap; consequently if there | guarantee against any capricious, arbitrary, | confected, and sometimes a few slaves are is no interference on the part of foreign or wrongful acts at the Ports by the Cus- even set at liberty, but the great bulk of not quite in accordance with the views officials, the victim would get off on much tom House authorities which the rules and the rade is tacitly sanctioned, if not aceasier terms, for it is not the instrumen- mode of procedure there laid down sup- tually connived at, by the authorities themselve. At Galabat, on the Abyssinia fronter, an enormous slave mart is con stanty open. Two hundred Nile boats emplyed regularly in this trade are permitted to navigate with impunity, upon payment for every voyage they make of certan tributé to the local authorities while a similar impost is levied on every slave caravan that passes along the deser-

of Karusco. "I, my lord, the Egyptian Governmen were sincerely desirous of checking the progress of so great an evil, a good opportunity is now afforded to it for inflicting severs blow on the slave trade in this part of the world. 1 must confess, however, am fir from sauguine that much can expected from that Government of its own volition, and for several reasons: -1, that important persons and functionaries of the Government derive considerable profit and advantage from the trade, either directly or indirectly-directly, because their palaces, nouses, and estates are supplied with slave labour: indirectly because, inasmuch as the trade is estensibly a forbidden one. they are enabled to levy on the dealers heavy toil for permission to evade the law 2. that the army of Egypt is largely recinit--His Lordship, in addressing the prisoner, | ed from the male black adult slaves; and spoke strongly on the daring and deter- 3, that the Fellahs, or farmer population mination shown by the prisoner at the bar, | are glad to have the means of sending as and said that he would pass the heaviest substitutes for themselves and children, sentence in his power, especially as the when summoned by the Government to poor woman who had been carried away forced labour, slaves bought at these marts" Mr Reade, in the disguise of an Arab

visite I a number of slave markets in Cairo allow; and it was only to be regretted that and Tantah. In the former city he saw between 250 and 300; there would have been 3.000 on sale there, but the greater number had been removed to Tantah for an approaching fair. At Tantah he sav between 500 and 600, but believes the total number there on sale to have been about 2.000. Having made these discoveries, informed the Mudir or governor of the province, who undertook to seize all the slaves in the night, and have them freed. C. L. Davies, W. Swan, J. Olsen, H. only partially fulfilled his promise, and Mr Reade tells Lord Stanley that the governor was ordered to desist from the work of emancipation by a superior functionary, this Inspector General of Provinces.

Representations made by Mr Reade to our columns a week or two ago, were brief- | Cherif Pasha were met by an evasive reply. ly that the complainant's boy was taken Mr Reade had afterwards an interview with away by the 1st prisoner on 13th April, and the Minister, and convinced him that the that the 2nd prisoner endeavoured to nego- | charge against Europeans of complicity in |

"The Pasha then complained that Euroat the beginning of the Sessions, owing to | pean Christians in Upper Egypt were largely engaged in the slave trade, but [believe] tice for trial. The child stolen has not very soon satisfied him that such was not the case. The unsatisfactory nature His Lordship, in his summing up, re- | Cherif Pasha's roply to my representations marged strongly upon the hardship of the with regard to the slave markets at Tantah case, in that the father's child was worse and Cairo will prove to your Lordship, betthan dead; if the jury believed the evi- ter than anything I can state from my own dence, they could have little difficulty as to experience, that no reliance whatever can their verdict. He was certainly unable to be placed in the anti-slavery protestations

The Blue-book contains further commu-The Jury returned a verdict of guilty on | nications of great interest as to the slave the sixth count, of having taken away the | trade carried on in Upper Egypt from M. Saulter, a German missionary at Khartoum, His Lordship then addressed the prison- and from the Prussian consular agent and ers saying that the crime of which they the Austrian vice-consul at Khartoum had been found guilty was nearly akin to The communications from the two last are that of murder. Human flesh was becom- forwarded to Lord Stanley by Mr. Petheng dearer here in consequence of what was | rick, who was formerly English consultat | being done elsewhere; but he was deter- Khartoum, and whose treatment by the mined to use the whole force of the law to | Foreign Office, before Lord Stanley was but down such infamous crimes. In this, Foreign Minister, is described in a letter as in a former case, the stolen one had not addressed by him to Earl Russell, dated been returned. Sentence of penal servitude | January 27, 1864, and printed in the Slave for fourteen years was then passed upon Trade Blue-book, Class B, presented to both pris mers, with the remark of regret | Parliament in 1865. The Egyptian Viceroy that the kidnapping ordinance was not as openly rejoiced, in addressing the deputavet in force. Mercy might be shown to tion of the British and Foreign Anti-Slavery the second prisoner, if the child were re- Society, on the termination of Mr. Petherick's consulate; and there could be no better testimony than this to the value of Mr. A nolle prosequi was entered in the case Petherick's services. Mr. Petherick was abruptly told, in a short despitch of Ig-Russell of October 3, 1863, that there was no further need for the Khartoum Consulate. Mr. Petherick replied :-

merchant I have allowed un opportunity to escape me in order to carry out my pastructent of my capabilities; and in consequence [seized slaves on hoard one of my own boats, and sent the delinquent agent handcuffed to Khartoum for trial by the proper authority, of which I duly apprised her Majesty's agent at Alexandria. Another party, sailing under the British flug, men employed by Michael Imif Allah, I also accused of capturing slaves, and one and all have been dismissed by the local authority without a remark or inquiry on the part of her Majesty's Government, although its flag has been

continued; and it is gratifying to perceive

THE OCEAN BOTTOM. (From the Panama Star and Herald.) Mr Green, the famous diver, tells singu n stories of his adventures, when making search in the deep water of the ocean. He gave some new sketches of what he saw at the "Silver Bank," near Havti:--"The banks of coral on which my divings were made are about forty miles in length. this bank of coral is presented to the diver one of the most beautiful and sublime scenes the eye ever beheld. The water varies from ten to one hundred feet in depth, and is so clear that the diver can see from two to three hundred

feet when submerged, with but little obreceived, although of every shade, and bloom, and were of all hues. There were his throne by the events subsequently to from 400 to 500 pounds.

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people seemed to expect that he would rise | road will take." "To the detriment of my interests as a Worthington to the surface. Four medical lodged and fed three days in the house of a tions relative to the slave trade to the full ex. formances, promptly attended him on his fessing the atrocity to the father. There

Neglected in these instances, as u on brothers were present, and were the painful be enemies. Public opinion is on the whole

matter of falling such a great height being the cause of death was only supposition. If requisite means had been at hand life might probably have been restored. He noticed when deceased sank bubbles rose, as if he was breathing. Henry Wheldon said he had been sent by deceased's agent, Mr Storer, who had only joined him the day before, to answer any questions. Deceased asked him (witness) to assist in getting up the gala. Deceased attended to his own reparations, and had complained that the platform was too low. He (witness) was with the deceased last; he was in good spirits when preparing to ascend the scafrold. In witness's opinion, if the platform had been 10 feet higher, he would have got the "turn" in, and the accident would not have happ ned. The jury returned a verdict of "Accidental death."

CURIOUS QUESTION OF SURVIVORSHIP. In the Chancery Court of Lancashire, held at the Assize Courts, Manchester, a singular question of survivorship was raised in the struction to the sight. The bottom of the | cause "Eckersley v. Hald," The cause ocean in many places is as smooth as a came before the court on a motion for a decree to settle the estate of a person namcoral columns, from ten to one hundred ed J. G. Hald, a Danish merchant, who feet in height, and from one to eighty feet | lately carried on business in that city. in diameter. The tops of those more lefty | Some time previous to 1860, Mr Hald exsupport a myriad of pyramidal pendants, ceuted a will, in which, after bequeathing each forming a myriad more, giving reality | several legacies, he directed that the residue to the imaginary abode of some water of his estate should be divided into 22 pornymph. In other places the pendants form | tions, to be apportioned amongst his rearch after arch, and as the diver stands on latives, some of whom lived in Denmark the bottom of the ocean and gazes through | and others in America. After he had made the deep winding avenues, he finds that that will, Mr Hald married a lady named they fill him with as sacred an awe as if he | Agnes Derboldst; and he then executed a were in some old cathedral which had long codicil to his will, by which he appointed been buried beneath old ocean's wave. Mr P. Eckersley, of Manchester, his exe-Here and there the coral extends even to cutor, and directed that the sum of £7.000 the surface of the water, as if the loftier | should be paid to his wife after his death. columns were towers belonging to those before the trusts contained in the body of stately temples that are now in ruins, the will were executed. In the summer of There were countless varieties of dimi- 1861 Mr and Mrs. Hald visited their native nutive trees, shrubs, and plants in every | country, and in September of that year crovice of the corals where all are of a they embarked at Copenhagen on the ship faint hue, owing to the pale light they | Colonist. The ship encountered a heavy gale, and sank, the Halds perishing with entirely different from plants that I am other passengers. It became, therefore, familiar with that vegetate upon dry land. I important to ascertain which of the two One in particular attracted my attention; died first. The testimony of several of the it resembled a sea fan of immense size, of crew was to the effect that they were rowing variegated colours, and the most brilliant away from the vessel when she foundered. hue. The fish which inhabit this 'Silver | and that at that moment the Halds were in Bank' I found as different in kind as the one of the cabins, Mrs. Hald being prosscenery was varied. They were of all forms | trated with sea sickness. Under the colours, and sizes-from the insignificant circumstances there could be no positive oby to the globelike sunfish; from the proof which was the survivor. If, however dullest hue to the changeable dolphin; Ars. Hald died first, the bequest to which from the spots of the leopard to the hues | she was entitled under the whole of the of the sunbeam; from the harmless min | estate would be divisible in the terms connow to the voracious shark. Some had tained in the body of the will. If Mrs. heads like squirrels, others like cats and Hald survived her husband, if only for a ogs, some of small size resembled the bull minute, her representatives would be enterrier. Some darted through the water titled to the £7,000. By a recent decision, like meteors, while others could scarcely be | the onus of proving that the legatee survived seen to move. To enumerate and explain | the testator was thrown upon the representall the various kinds of fish I beheld while atives of the legatee. The plaintiff, Mr. diving on these banks would, were I enough | Eckersley, prayed that the trusts of the will of a naturalist so to do, require more than | might be executed, the rights of the parties my limits allow, for I am convinced that | declared, and the estate administered; and most of the kinds of fish which inhabit the | that for this purpose proper inquiries might tropical seas can be found there. The sun | be made. The defendants, the representafish, star-fish, white shark, and blue or tives of Mrs. Hald, consented to this shovel-nose shark were often seen. There | course, and an order was made accordingly. were also fish which resembled plants, and | KING GEORGE OF HANOVER ABOUT TO remained as fixed in their position as a EMIGRATE TO COSTA RICA.—A special corshrub; the only power they possessed was respondent of the New York Herald says :to open and shut when in danger. Some | "It is well known that the King of Hanover, of them resembled the rose when in full | who was so underemoniously deprived of

the ribbon fish, from four or five inches to | the battle of Sadowa, has a large number three feet in length; their eyes are very of faithful subjects who have spurned allelarge, and protrude like those of a frog. | giance to the Prussian crown and left their Another fish is spotted like a leopard and homes in voluntary banishment. Some of from three to ten feet in length. They | these faithful Hanoverians are at Heitzing build their houses like beavers, in which with their monarch, others in Switzerland. they spawn and the male or female watches and others still in France, where they the egg until it hatches. I saw many speci- engaged in the foolish design of forming mens of the green turtle, some five feet | Huelph legion, but were interfered with by long, which I should think would weigh the Imperial Government. It is now proposed to offer to all these malcontents who can never return to their homes, and to many others who are willing to leave their former independent country, a new fatherland in Cos'a Rica, where already the Ger-A DIVER KILLED-FRARFUL Scene. - | man immigrants are quite numorous, and For some days past Derby and the neight soil and climate offer great advantages to hood has been placarded with startling and the settler. It is confidently asserted that nouncements that Mr. Worthington, the | King George is ready to provide in this man-"Star Diver of the world," would exhibit nee for his faithful expatriated subjects, and on the River Derwent at Derby on Thurs- would prefer their settlement in a Catholic day afternoon, and two following days. A- country like Costa Rica, as he himself is mongst other feats he was announced to strongly leaning towards the hely Apostolics jump from a height of 120 feet, into the Caurell. He would get rid of an elephant river. The entertainment was annouged to | that he dose not know what to do with, and commence at 2,20 on Thursday afternoon in the railroad company would gain a large a field on the banks of the Derwent, between | number of strong and good workmen, who Derby and Darley Grove. The performer, would ultimately settle along the road, a young man of about twenty-two or twen- thereby contributing not only to its consty-three years of age, appeared on the truction, but also to its pecuniary success. ground at the appointed time, dressed in a | and besides form a valuable addition to the bathing costume, and commenced performing a gricultural and producing class of resia series of feats under the water, including | dents of the republic. This consideration. drinking milk from a bottle peeling and cating it is thought, will have great weight with an orange, blowing a trumpet, de. He also | the Costa Rica Government in granting threw a lad into the water and rescued him. some further privileges to the new compa-The exhibition was to close with the high my. It is in thermore asserted that the leap into the water, and Worthington as- Prussian Government not only see with conded the scaffold about a quarter past great satisfaction this solution of the four o'clock. After remaining some mi- tanoverian difficulty and contribute to ifs nutes in making the necessary prep rations, | realisation, but has also some object of its he put himself into position for diving, and own in colonising Costa Rica. It is certainjumped into the river. In his progres. In a remarkable fact that the North German downwa ds he made three evolutions of his | corvette Augusta, which left Aspinwall for body, and a medical gentleman on the bank | Lima on the 10th inst, will remain about remarked to some of the bystanders that he one month on the Costa Rica coast in was a dead man. Worthington fell heavilly order to make explorations and soundings. on the top of the water on his side, and at and her officers go into the interior over once sunk to the bottom of the river. The the same route which the Costa Rica Rail-

to the surface, as was his custom, and some | LETTERS from Algeria give the most minutes elapsed before any efforts were harrowing accounts of the condition of the made to recover the body. At last Mr. people, "The Arabs," writes one of our Smith, of Little Euton, dived into the wa- correspondents, "continue to eat their ter, and after several unsuccessful efforts compatriots and the children of Europeans. succeeded in bringing the lifeless body of At Kandouri three Arab women, who were gentlemen, Drs Tompham, Jamieson, Fantt | colonist, drowned his son, a boy of twelve and I iffe, who had been witnessing his per- years, and then ate him afterwards, conbeing brought to the bank in a boat, and have been many assassinations of Europeevery means were used to resuscitate life, and by Arabs in our neighbourhood (only but their efforts were unavailing, as life was | three miles from the town of Algiers). The extinct, the opinion being that he died from | French are much excited and alarmed; and concussion whilst diving. There was a blame the authorities for not affording them large attendance both of ladies and gentle- better protection against the natives. Marmen, and the excitement was of the most shal M'Mahon and the Archbishop are at intense description; indeed, caused quite a open war, the former accusing the latter of gloom in the town. The body was | making mischief by his efforts at proselvtistaken into the tent used by the de- ing, and the other retorting that it is the ceased for the purpose of dressing, system of government which is at fault, and and was shortly afterwards removed to that the Mussulman cannot assimilate with his lodgings. His mother and two the Frenchman, and that they will always

of the world some rule of this kind, with or these Slave Trade Blue books, which are high support was required, I have naturally beight of the jump was about ninety feet. An Duning the celebration in Charleston. without a margin of profit, is adopted as printed in the Foreign Office, are not circu- been slighted by the local authorities and inquest was held at the Coach and Hor es, S. C., in honor of St. Patrick's Day, one of an equitable solution of the question, and lated among members of both Kouses, like ridiculed by the slave traders. Under Ourby, at eight o'check on Thursday evening, the speakers alluded, in the course of his a practical mode of promptly settling all most parliamentary papers, but that a limited number is deposited at the paper of with your ordship's decision, communicated of Thomas Worthington, aged 25, a native | should be "gathered to the bosom of Eter-Of course, when the value of a ship is in fice of each House, to be given to any mem- to me by lespatch of the 3rd of October, of Nottingham. Mr Patrick Fant, surgeon, and pity." A printer left out the last letter duestion, it may happen that the consignee her who asks for one. It is quite probable 1863, that the time has arrived to abolish Derby, deposed that it was not the falling of the last word, and the next morning's favor with the Celestials, who are the Comor, master may not feel justified or othertherefore, that the Duke of St. Albans had ber Majesty's Consulate for the Soudan."
into the water which would cause death, paper predestined the Charleston Hibernians.

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ispa ched with the usual Mails for urope, we not FRIDAY, the 10th Vigit 7 A.M., and the Post Office ed will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 9 P.M. on the 9th Inst. Letters, &c., may be pested in the night box from 9 P.M. on the 9th inst., until 5 A.M. on the

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100 BARRELS Hamburg Prime Mess

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For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board,

Davisson's West Hartley, Straker

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Hongkong, March 16, 1866.

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Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

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BRANDY, Hennessy's and Martel's in

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FOR SALE.

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Dinner SHERRIES from \$6 upwards.

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FOR SALE.

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Hennessy's Pale Old BRANDY.

Old Tom GIN.

Fine Old \mathbf{PORT} .

STORES.

Orange BITTERS.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co

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PRICKLY HEAT. By any of whom subscribers' names will INHOMPSON'S Non-poisonous LOTION for Prickly Heat and Mosquito Bites. Delivered Carriage free to Subscribers only is guaranteed to give instantaneous relief. Price, \$1 per bottle. To be had only at the International Dispensary, 23, Wellington Street, nearly opposite the R. C

> Hongkong, April 4, 1868. 1) ASPBERRY, Strawberry, Rose, Currant, Cherry and various other SYRUPS made from real Fruit and bottled in the south of France, can be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

States of America, at prices as low as Hougkong, April 16, 1868. FOR SALE. ing Public, and assure those who may FEW cases of very superior SHERRY. just received ex "Channel Queen." same shall be executed faithfully and | Superior Amontillado SHERRY The latest copies of the best English and American Newspapers received in 3 doz. cases. Superior Oloroso SHERRY in 3

by every mail steamer, also the latest copies of the Shanghai and Japan Extra Superfine SHERRY in 2 SMITH KENNEDY & Co. doz. cases. Quarter-casks (cased) Superior Oloroso SHERRY. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, January 27, 1868. FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED IIARMONIUMS and other Musical LL INSTRUMENTS. Christy Minstrel's SONGS. Pianoforte

OPERAS. VIOLIN and other STRINGS, &c., &c. INSTRUMENTS tuned and repaired. C. WAGNER. 28. Hollywood Road. Hongkong, August 2, 1867. 2au-68

FOR SALE.

150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY. 100 ,, PORT. MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK ADIES and GENTLEMEN visiting COMPANY, LIMITED, L Macao and desirous of comfortable FOR SALE. SEA BATHING, the undersigned begs THE Hulk CELESTIAL, as she now lies

leave to inform them, that Two first class at Aberdeen, in good order, well jound, and suitable for a floating store or For particulars, apply to JNO. S. LAPRAIK,

Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

FOR SALE. MUNTZ' Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and VI NAILS Apply to

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867. FOR SALE. DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com-

TINDER an arrangement entered into in Lottlon between the Postmaster | plete. General and this Company, the Steamers MULLER & CLAUSSEN. conveying H. M.'s Mails between Shanghai Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

FOR SALE. WELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz I and Vivians. JOHN BURD & Co Hongkong, April 5, 1867.

FOR SALE. SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto. Fine Dry MADEIRA. Fine OHAMPAGNE, COGNAC.

Various Superior Hungarian WINES. WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1867.

FOR SALE. IULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. MUMM & Co.'s HOCK & MOSELLE qts, and pts. Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSopp's ALE, draught and bottle. BARCLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT. BRIDGES & SONS' PURTER.

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Hongkong November 20, 1867.

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GREAT SACRIFICES!!!

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MULLER & CLAUSSEN DEG to announce that they are Selling D Oil their stocks of the undermentioned GUODS at Invoice prices, consisting of-Black Cloth Dress FROCK and Walking COATS. Melton and Angola Walking, Shooting

and SAC COATS. Melton and Witney YACHT JACKETS L. Jauvray & Co.'s Association Vissiand OVER COATS. Alpaca and Merino COATS Black Dress TROUSERS. Fancy Buckskin, Angola and Tweed TROUSERS

Alpaca and Merino TROUSERS White and Colored Linen TROUSERS Black Dress VESTS. Buckskin and Angola VESTS. Merino and Alpaca VESTS. White Marcella and Linen VESTS. Colored Linen VESTS.

A large lot of PIECE GOODS, compris-Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS and

MELTONS, BUCKSKINS, ANGOLAS, TWEEDS and FLANNELS, of this Season's Patterns. Also a new assortment of HOSIERY and SHIRTS of-LONG CLOTH, with Linen FRONTS, &c. Silk and Wool SHIRTS. Merino, Cotton, Lambswool and Flaunel

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DRAWERS and UNDER VESTS Merino, Cotton and Lambswool HALF HOSE. Ginger WINE, Ginger BRANDY and LADIES' COTTON HOSE Dent's Kid and Driving GLOVES. HAMS, CHEESE and OILMAN'S COLLARS, SCARFS, TIES, Cholera BELTS and Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS.

Christy's Silk, Shell and Felt HATS, in the newest Shapes. Dawson's BOOTS and SHOES UMBRELLAS, Walking STICKS, Cloth and Hair BRUSHES PERFUMERY, Fancy SOAPS

And a great variety of other GOODS. MULLER AND CLAUSSEN, Queen's Road. Hongkong, February 5, 1868. TO INVALIDS AND OTHERS.

cutta, some very fine GUAVA JELLY THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Honakona. Hongkong, May 7, 1868.

UST landed, ex "REIVER," from Cal-

GOOD INVESTMENT FOR THE OPEN PORTS IN JAPAN FOR SALE AT INVOICE COST.

GERMAN Printing Establishment. quite new, containing one Cylinder Press, made in Hamburg, a small hand Press, a great quantity of Fancy and running Types, wrought iron chests, &c.; complete in every respect. Delivery may be had at once. Invoice price \$2,000. For particulars, apply to C. A. SAINT, or to

DE SOUZA & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

FOR SALE. I'HE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Mesars For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, September 2, 1867. FOR SALE. 20 000 CUBIC FEET MANILA TIMBER, to arrive per French Barque "MARIA MORTON.

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1868. ATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY ,, 3 CLARET BÍRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

Bottles.

FOR SALE. TTELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to L 28 oz. Superior CLARET, St. Pierre, 1852. Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche. SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 doz.

Hongkong, October 1, 1866. LIENDRIE, Plesse & Lubin's Fine Assortment of PERFUMES. DAWSON & SONS' BOUTS. For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by

JULES EUZIERE.

Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs.

RAYNAL & Co.

Hongkong, December 4, 1867. FOR SALE. In Lots to suit Purchasers. RED Copper SHEATHING and NAILS. Composition NAILS. CRAMPAGNE. STILL HOCK. PORT WINE. In glass, all of sups-COGNAC rior quality. BURGUNDY. India PALE ALE. Best STOUT.

Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, March 19, 1868.

Printed & Published by Charles Areahan SAINT, Proprietor, at No. 2, Wyndham Street, Victoria, Hongkong

For Sale.

For Sale FOR SALE. Ex "SOAWFELL." DASS'S ALE in kilderkins. Bass's ALE in bottles, quart Apply to G. DUBOST

Hongkong, June 19, 1868. FOR SALE. Eas " ESTAFETTE" and other ENUINE AVH GIN in red

T souares. Genuine AVH GlN, in white Palm-tree Brand GIN, in 15 squ Dutch CURACOA, in stone bot At LAMMERT, ATKINSON Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

FOR SALE Ex "FUSIYAMA," KIHAMPAGNE CABINET. BOUZY, MOUSSEUX. BLANCHE in qts. \$18 per dozen \$19 per case; in half-pts. 48 bott case at \$20 per case.

Apply to G. DUBOST Hongkong, June 29, 1868.

THE UNION DOCK COMPAN HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LI

TINHE Company respectfully beg t A attention of Ship Owners, C and Masters of Vessels to their ments at Whampoa and Hongko offer every facility for the docking pairs of Vessels of all classes. Their Docks at Whampon are working order and are pumped Steam, and the workshops com different departments of Shipwrig.

smith, Boilefmaker, and Machine Materials supplied of the best kin the most reasonable terms. A je pair of powerful lifting shears, al which masts and boilers can be of Vessels Their Hongkong establishmen known as Messrs Thos. Hunn Wanchi Shipyard) comprises als ferent departments of Shipwrigh

smith, Boilermaker and Machine and possesses a pair of lifting sheal Their Granite Dock at Kowloon vantageously situated, solidly built full dimensions to admit the dock Vessel coming to this harbour, wil pleted in a very short time. The Steam Yug "LITTLE CI s always in readiness to tow Dock, free of charge, and to see

tendence of experienced European For particulars, apply to Manager of At the Office of the N.B. - Consignces or Masters having cause to complain of the at the Docks or at Hongkong, will

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berth, at reduced rates.

vany, which will receive the immed tion of the Directors. Hongkong, April 28, 1868. Insurances. -

dress their complaints to the Office of

THE NORTH-CHINA INSU. .COMPANY. (Established 1st January, 18 CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,50 FOR TLS. 1,000 EACH. Paid up Capital, Taels 3001 or Taels 200 per Share

Provisional Committee W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairma (Messrs Turner & Co.) F. H. BELL, Esq. (Messrs W. R. Adamson & A. Michie, Esq.

(Messrs Chapman, King de E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Messrs Gilman & Co.) F. PORTER, Esq. (Messrs Gibb, Livingston d Directors of the Company, li A T a General Meeting held A the 12th day of May, 18

lowing Resolutions were passed,

the continuance of the Company ther period of three years fro January, 1869; and Notice is he that applications for Shares in t Form, will be received at the O Company until 31st October, 18 Applications for Shares from resident in Shanghai, must be a by a Power of Attorney to their sign the Deed of Settlement half and generally to represent matters connected with the Com In accordance with the Resolu

> separate Office of the Compa opened in London, on 1st Janua By order of the Court of Dire JOHN S. MACK Shanghai, May 15, 1868.

> > Form of Application for S

at the meeting of 18th Novem

To the Provisional Committee .01 CHINA INSURANCE COMPAN GENTLEMEN. hereby request that y Shares in the above Co agree to accept such Shares umber you may allot to ree to pay the first call of are, and all subsequent ca

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tes. III. -That this meeting t the Provisional Comm pt as the basis of the new (capital should be 1,500, res of Tls. 1,000 each; l'ar 300,000 or Tls. 200 per St Committee be authorized spectus inviting application to proceed with the allots

Docks.

SALE. Superior Old PORT v. Sandeman, Oporto, NE, COGNAC. Hungarian WINES. и. PUSTAU & Co.

SALE. Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. HOCK & MOSELLE HERRY and PORT. BRANDY.

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WHISKEY, caught and bottle. NESS' STOUT. CRTER. WALKER & Co. uber 20, 1867.

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and Linen VESTS inen VESTS. ECE GOODS, compris-Broad CLOTHS and KINS. KSKINS, ANGOLAS, FLANNELS, of

n's Patterns. rtment of HOSIERY RTS of h Linen FRONTS, &c. ool SHIRTS. ambawool and Flaunel I UNDER VESTS. and Lambawool F HOSE. TTON HOSE. Driving GLOVES,

RFS, TIES, Cholera c HANDKÉRCHIEFS. ell and Felt HATS. west Shapes. OTS and SHOES. alking STICKS, Cloth BRUSHES. Y; Fancy SOAPS, ty of other GOODS. ND CLAUSSEN. 's Road. iary 5, 1868.

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ENT FOR THE OPEN N JAPAN. INVOICE COST. rinting Establishment. ontaining one Cylinder amburg, a small hand ity of Fancy and runght iron chests, &c.; respect. Delivery may voice price \$2,000. rs, apply to C. A. SAINT, or to DE SOUZA & Co. 6, 1868.

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For Sale FOR SALE. Ex "SCAWFELL." DASS'S ALE in kilderkins. Bass's ALE in bottles, quarts.

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1868.

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G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, June 29, 1868.

Docks.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

INHE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which offer every facility for the docking and repairs of Vessels of all classes. Their Docks at Whampon are in good

working order and are pumped out b Steam, and the workshops comprise the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker, and Machinery works. Materials supplied of the best kind and on the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of which masts and boilers can be taken out of Vessels.

Their Hongkong establishment (lately known as Mesers Thos. Hunt & Co.'s Wanchi Shipyard) comprises also the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machinery works and possesses a pair of lifting shears.

Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad vantageously situated, solidly built, and of full dimensions to admit the docking of any Vessel coming to this harbour, will be completed in a very short time. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN' is always in readiness to tow Vessels to

Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new berth, at reduced rates. All works carried on under the superin tendence of experienced European foremen. For particulars, apply to A. D. MITCHELL,

Manager of Works At the Office of the Company N.B. - Consumees or Masters of Vessels having cause to complain of the works done at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please address their complaints to the Office of the Company, which will receive the immediate attention of the Directors. Hongkong, April 28, 1868.

Insurances.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

(Established 1st January, 1863.) CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARES, FOR TIS. 1,009 EACH. Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000, or Taels 200 per Share.

Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman. (Messis Turner & Co.) F. H. BELL, Esq. (Messib W. R. Adamson & Co.) A. Michie, Esq. (Messis Chapman, King & Co.)

E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Messes Gilman & Co.) F. PORTER, Esq. (Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.)

Directors of the Company, 1866-68. Ta General Meeting held on Tuesday A the 12th day of May, 1868, the fo lowing Resolutious were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the lat January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the

Company until 31st October, 1868. Applications for Shares from Persons not resident in Shanghai, must be accompanied by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company.

In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a separate Office of the Company will be opened in London, on 1st January, 1869. By order of the Court of Directors, JOHN S. MACKINTÚSH, Secretary.

Shanghai, May 15, 1868. Form of Application for Shares.

To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less imber you may allot to ree to pay the first call of Tls, 200 per are, and all subsequent calls, and to oscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenor required to do so. Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. igs. I.—That a Company to be called "North China Insurance Company." Il be formed for a further period of three rs, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec.,

les. II.—That the Directors for the time by of the present Company be appointed et as a Provisional Committee to orga-! the new Company.

izs. III.—That this meeting recommends | Not exceeding 1 month, 4 per cent. the Provisional Committee should Above I month and not pt as the basis of the new Company that | exceeding 3 months, ½ do. capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 Above 3 months and Committee be authorized to issue a spectus inviting applications for Shares to proceed with the allotment, 31oc Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

Insurances

NOTICE. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. 7 ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances:— Not exceeding one month, I of the Annual Rate.

Above one month andnotexceeding 3 months, $\frac{1}{2}$ Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months,...

Above 6 months,... the full annual rate. TURNER & Co... $\Delta aents.$ Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED,

Capital \$2,000,000, in 2,000 Shares of \$1,000 EACH.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and \$100 six months after Allotment.

NOTICE.

14 ITH reference to the following Reso-VV lutions passed at a Meeting of the Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company held on the 8th instant, applications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire insurance Company, Limited will be received by the General Managers, the form of application to be as follows:-To the General Managers and Consulting

Committee of the Hongkong FIRE IN-BURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. Gentlemen.— Shares of I request you to allot me

One Thousand Dollars each in the above named Company, and I agree to accept such Shares, or any less number which may be allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment, and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share, six months after allotment, and I further undertake to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement when called on to do so. 1 remain, Gentlemen, Your Obedient Servant.

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE. No. 1. That the General Managers and Consult

ing Committee are hereby authorized to adopt measures for the reconstruction of the Company as the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, on the basis proposed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April presented to this Meeting.

That the General Managers and Consulting Committee are hereby requested to receive applications for Shares in the Hongkong fire Insurance Company, Limited. and on the receipt of such applications to the extent of One Thousand Shares to cal an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company for the purpose of authorizing its dissolution and the transfer of its assets and liabilities to the new Company. JARDINE: MATHESON & Co., General Managers

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. N.B.—Forms of application for Shares may be had at the Office of the Company, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, April 9, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-

Not exceeding } 1 of the Annual Rate. one month. Above 1 month and not exceeding three months.....

Above 3 m'the and not exmonths.

Above 6 m'ths. The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. TROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period msurauces, viz:-Not exceeding I of the Annual Rate.

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Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINÉ, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co, Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. future for short period Insurances,

The China Mail.

insurances. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION.

MHE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: Three months, \ldots $\frac{1}{2}$, Six months. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

Capital, -Two Million Sterling.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

'I'HE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, $\frac{1}{2}$ of the annual rate Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, & do.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

Above 3 months and not exceeding $6, \dots, \frac{3}{4}$ Above 6 months,...... the full annual rate. MORGÁN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Conper cent

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, . . 🛊 per cent Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.

and their Contents.

GILMAN & Co., Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

per cent.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following P Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:— Not exceeding one !

I of the annual rate. Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 Above 3 months. and not exceeding 6 months. the full Annual rate. Above 6 months. .

GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILL INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809, CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,283,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263. THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong

for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION STEELING. HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs Holliday. Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton, Hankow, and Funchau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob- | viz :-

By Order of the Board. JAS B. NORTHOOTT, Secretary. OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON. Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this | be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One Port, are prepared to grant Policies against | per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged; Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, and in cases of Residences, so situated, be- SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURor on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. THE following Rates will be charged in TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Indurances, viz!--Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate Above 1 mouth and not exceeding 3,... Above 3 months and

not exceeding 0,... & Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkoug, AApril 7, 1868.

Insurances.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. I INTIL further notice the following Anunual Rates will be charged for Fire

Insurance, viz :-

Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. . other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. Godowns, Officar, Shops, &c.

and their Contents, . . 1 per cent GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

WHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

KT the request of the Undersigned, A Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :-Phœnix Assurance Company Liverpool and London and Globe Insur-

ance Company. London and Provincial Marine Insurance Company. Universal Marine Insurance Companyd

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co., Hongkong, July 2, 1867. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

> FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

(Life Department.) P O perCent. per Annum Bonus declared La during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the repre-

sentatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding C1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England.

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For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

LIFE ASSURANCE. HE Undersigned have received Autho rity by a recent Mail to issue Life Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office. as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALLER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company

Hongkong, January 6, 1865. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances.

Not exceeding One per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding > 1 per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding 👔 per cent. Six Months. The full Annual Rate Above Six Months, ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company, Hougkong, April 7, 1868. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-FECTS, therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed

from the Town, the rate of Premium will ing detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for Fire In-BURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :--Detached and semi-detached.

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their 🔒 per cent. Contents. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their 🛂 per cent. Contents. First Class China House and their Contents. . 12 per cent.

Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB, S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

Insurances.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended-limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864. THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA. ESTABLISHED 1834.

Subscribed Capital,£500,000. Accumulated Funds exceed £808,000. HE Undersigned are empowered to accept Life Assurances in the above

Society. Full particulars given on appli-ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1868.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALGUTTA, BOMBAY, OF LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent has been declared on the Net Premia contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September, 1866, Policy HOLDERS will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co.,

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

OF SHANGHAL

Secretaries. Hongkong, September 7, 1867. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA

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ation, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. | Recorder, the various divisions of mental Policies can be made payable in London, thought and work in this land ought to be New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, well taken care of; for our part we are glad Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.

In addition to the usual brokerage this of the information and instruction they Association returns to the assured of each afford, and the index they supply to the year at the close of each current year, mental vigour of the foreign community in fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the this land Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy-holder. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 2, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. Company are prepared to grant Poli- ature. cies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates.

Hongkong, February 6, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed notes and numerous queries for future con-Agents in China for the above Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

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FUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above N.B. Intermediate ages charged propor- named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

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For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period nsurances, viz:-Not exceeding } 1 of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three

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SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA. ANCE COMPA 'Y OF SAMARANG.

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FIHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1866.

SAMARAN J SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

Macao, August 4, 1860.

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Opinions of the Press.

(Foochow Advertiser, May 4, 1867.) We have received a copy of "Notes and Queries:" this publication will be really useful, it contains much matter relating to China which otherwise would be lost, and we wish it every success. Linologues, Chinese antiquaries and scientific men ought especially to congratulate themselves on the appearance of "Notes and Queries," as it will form their medium of communication and bring into notice what otherwise might have lain unknown and buried in themselves. HE Undersigned having been appointed Now that Law and Officialism have got Secretaries and Agents of this Associ- | their Gazette, Science and Philology their Notes and Queries, and Missionaries their to see these several issues, both on account

(Foochow Missionary Recorder, April, 1867.) The two first numbers of Notes & Queries on China and Japan have been placed on our table. The magazine is every way creditable to its editor and publishers, and we cannot but wish them the utmost success in their efforts to fill an important and THE Undersigned, regents for the above hitherto noccupied place in Eastern liter-

(Singapore Free Press, Mar. 2, 1867.) We have received the first number of a neat little pamphlet of eight pages entitled " Notes and Queries on China and Japan, containing some able and interesting his torical papers on China, together with tributors to answer, and states that the number of its pages will depend upon the number and length of its contributions. The work will be received with eagerness by literary men, as throwing light upon the ancient traditions of China, with researches into the laws of the various provinces, and the custom of the people.

San Francisco News Letter, Mar. 23, 1867. We have received the first number, which is full of curious, out-of-the-way, and interesting matter. (Shanghai Recorder, May 17, 1867.)

We are put in possession of the fourth number of "Notes and Queries on China and Japan." In saying that the present number equals in interest and importance its predecessors, we have already said great deal in its favour. Our knowledge of these countries has hitherto been so scattered, so ill-arranged, entombed as it POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on | were, in a series of works, in different lanthe last two centuries, that some means of separating what is really new, from what has possibly been over and over again des-Proposals for Life Assurances will be re- cribed is much to be desired * * * As a medium of intercommunication on these and many other subjects of interest If required, protection will be granted on to those connected with the far East, we first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single must hail the appearance of "Notes and Queries." * * * We need only add that the periodical is of convenient size, is carefully edited by Mr N. B. Donnys, and is published at the low price of \$4 per annum; and having said this, we trust that " Notes and Queries on China and Japan" will meet with that success which so creditable a production deserves at the hands of those interested in Asiatio researches.

Report of North China Branch or the Royal Asiatic Society.

Two periodicals which are likely to be of great service have also been commenced one is published at Foochow and is called "The Missionary Recorder," and the other emanates from Hongkong and is called "Notes & Queries." It is intended to serve as a medium of intercommunication for persons interested in Chinese Philology, Geography or History. These indications of literary activity are perhaps the most important "sign of the times" has been our province to record, for they are all means o facilitate that mutual understanding one of the other, which seems so hard to establish between Europe and China.

(Hankow Times, Mar. 1867.)

We insert this week, apropos of some piquant correspondence which has appeared of the late in our columns, an extract from the new publication, "Notes and Queries on China and Japan," on the subject of infanticide, which we particularly recommend to the notice of our contributors as containing some reliable facts in connection with the vexed question. * * * Such a work as the "Notes" is peculiarly adapted for bringing to light valuable information in respect to this country, and its people, language, and institutions; and we trust it will be as warm ly supported as it deserves by the nume rous rising and energetic men, who are now thanks principally to the philological la THE Undersigned having been appointed | bours of Mr Secretary Wade, making rapid Agents in Macao for the above named | advance in the acquirement of the languages Company are prepared to grant Policies to say nothing of the devoted missionaries covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. | who have already grown grey in their ser-RAYNAL & Co. vice to the cause to which they have given themselves.

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Shipping in Marbour.

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The Appendix of Sailing Directions has been reprinted from the China Pilot.

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Kin Shan	Do.	456		H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang*	Do.	617	Banning	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Lintin	Do.	69		Acheong
Little Orphan	Do.	46	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug.
Poyang	Do.	379	Laid up	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany_
Prince Albert	Do.			Q. Acheong
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	101	Godsill	Q. Acheong
Spark	Amer.		Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spec	Do.		Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	British	280		H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany

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Arrivals,

July 8, Ganges, British steam Cates, Shanghai, July 4, at Noobales Silk, \$89,968 Treasure.—P. July 8, Drake, gunboat, Crowd Bay, July 8 July 8, Azoff, Brit. steamer, 71 son, Foochow, Amoy and Swaton,

6 and 7, General. -P. & O. Co.

Departures.

July 9, Undine, for East Coast. 9; Ferozepore, for Bangkok.

Passengers.

ARRIVED. -Per Ganges, Mesers I Baumgartine, H. Howie, J. Tay Bate and servant, J. F. H. Trautu servant, and 35 Chinese. Per Azoff, first class, Captain

Mr Moore; 2nd class, Messrs Kyle, and 40 Chinese.

Shipping Reports.

The Brit. steamer Azoff, from La reports fine weather all the passa; Yesso was at Amoy.

H. B. M. gunbeat Drake, from reports having proceeded to Deep Tuesday last to take two Chines prison, who had been confined for month, and for whom their guardia ing \$300 as ransom. The gunboat then down.

The British steamer Ganges, from hai, reports passed S. S. Surounde on the 5th, off Sungehuh; pass Yesso at midnight on 6th, off C lands; passed S. S. Douglas off Point at 2 A.M. on 8th. The El mails, arrived at Shanghai as Ga Experienced fresh S.W. mousoon weather, with strong N.E. current

Under Despatch.

For Melbourne and Sydney .-shine, on Friday, the 10th inst. For further Arrivals, New tisements, &c., &c., see 2nd

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PACIFIC MAIL STEAM COMPANY. T is contemplated sending the "HERMANN" from Y about August 10th, on a voyag North as Castries Bay. In this v vessel will touch at Hakodate or North, and at the principal Coal localities accessible on the Island and Saghalin; and will remain at ent mines long enough to ship

of coal. Returning she will reach Hako the 10th September, and Yokob the 20th, in time to connect with pany's Steamers leaving Yokohan Francisco September 25th; and, kong and Shanghai the 27th Ide sengers leaving the latter-named the Steamers July 15th will missing the steamers. days to remain in Yokohama.

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